Windstream Services, LLC 4001 N. Rodney Parham Rd. Little Rock, AR 72212

October 8, 2019

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«Contact»
«Customer_Name»
«Addr_Line_2»
«Addr_Line_3»
«City_Name», «State_Code» «Zip_Code»
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If you are not the site contact or administrator, please kindly pass this important notification on to the appropriate party.

IMPORTANT: Service Discontinuance Notification for Account # «Acct #»,

Service Location «Serv Loc»

This Change in Service Requires Action on Your Part

Dear Valued Customer,

Because your business matters to us, we wanted to provide advance notification of an important change we are making for services in your area.

The platform that currently supports your POTS, DSL and/or Integrated Voice & Data Services is provided via duplicative collocation facilities, which Windstream is consolidating for more efficient operation. With the consolidation, some services will be decommissioned. As a result, customers in the following cities will have these services retired on or about December 30, 2019: Mobile, AL, Lafayette, Lake Charles, Monroe, New Iberia, Opelousas, Ruston, Shreveport and West Monroe, LA, Detroit, MI, and Columbus, New Albany and Tupelo, MS. Please note, this notification does not affect other services you may have with Windstream.

The change requires action on your part. An Account Representative will be contacting you shortly to make you aware of your options and assist you in any way possible to ensure a smooth transition prior to the service retirement. Failure to make arrangements for an alternative service may result in permanent service termination or insufficient time to transition to a replacement service, with no immediate restoral options.

The FCC will normally authorize this proposed discontinuance of service (or reduction or impairment) unless it is shown that customers would be unable to receive service or a reasonable substitute from another carrier or that the public convenience and necessity is otherwise adversely affected. If you wish to object, you should file your comments as soon as possible, but no later than 15 days after the Commission releases public notice of the proposed discontinuance. You may file your comments electronically through the FCC's Electronic Comment Filing System using the docket number established in the Commission's public notice for this proceeding, or you may address them to the Federal Communications Commission, Wireline Competition Bureau, Competition Policy Division, Washington, DC 20554, and include in your comments a reference to the § 63.71 Application of Windstream Services, LLC. Comments should include specific information about the impact of this proposed discontinuance (or reduction or impairment) upon you or your company, including any inability to acquire reasonable substitute service.

Thank you for your time and attention to this important matter. If you have any questions, please contact us at 800.600.5050.

Sincerely,

**Customer Care**